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FORMALITIES LETTER



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 435.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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Applicant(s): Ronald D. Stouffer

Application No.: 10/021,270

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Title: LIQUID SCANNER NOZZLE AND METHOD

Attorney Docket No.: 3147-Z

Group Art Unit: 3752

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
Attention: Box Missing Parts

Sir:

This is in response to a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR 1.53(f). Enclosed is a copy of said Notice and the following documents and fees to complete the filing requirements of the above-identified application.

- (X) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. The above-identified application is the same application which the inventor executed by signing the enclosed declaration.
- (X) Statutory basic filing fee (X) Utility - \$370.00 () Design
- () Additional claim fees of \$
- (X) Missing Parts Surcharge \$65.00
- () A Petition for Extension of Time for reply to Notice of Missing Parts is attached.
 - () one month (\$55.00)
 - () two months (\$200.00)
 - () three months (\$460.00)
 - () four months (\$720.00)

Respectfully submitted,

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 26-0090.

By Jim Zeger
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Date: March 25, 2002

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